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| **I need a specific type of media...** | |
| **maps** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Google Maps](http://maps.google.com/)  <http://maps.google.com/>  [Yahoo Maps](http://maps.yahoo.com/beta/)  <http://maps.yahoo.com> | Search and view satellite and street-level maps (repeat in Yahoo Maps) | | [MapMachine](http://plasma.nationalgeographic.com/mapmachine/)  <http://plasma.nationalgeographic.com/mapmachine/> | Search, browse and print country, physical and political maps | | [American FactFinder Maps](http://factfinder.census.gov/jsp/saff/SAFFInfo.jsp?_pageId=gn7_maps)  <http://factfinder.census.gov> | Click on the Maps button in the sidebar. See trends/patterns when you superimpose chosen geographical features and census data on U.S. maps | |
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| **photographs and visual images** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Google Image Search](http://www.google.com/imghp)  <http://www.google.com/imghp> | Use advanced search to limit by size, coloration, file type | | [Yahoo Image Search](http://search.yahoo.com/images)  <http://search.yahoo.com/images> | Use advanced search to limit by size and coloration | | [Flickr](http://www.flickr.com/)  <http://www.flickr.com> | Search users' photos by their subjects ("tags"), then choose a subtopic ("tag cluster) | |
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| **fine art** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Artcyclopedia](http://www.artcyclopedia.com/)  <http://www.artcyclopedia.com> | Search (e.g., artist, medium, movement, subject) or browse for digitized art and online exhibits, see actual size | | [Intute: Arts and Humanities](http://www.intute.ac.uk/artsandhumanities/)  [http://www.intute.ac.uk/](http://www.intute.ac.uk/artsandhumanities/) | Search or browse selected, evaluated resources | | [SILS Art Image Browser](http://www.si.umich.edu/Art_History/)  <http://www.si.umich.edu/Art_History> | A database of art, architectural and museum object images from four collections | |
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| **videos** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Yahoo Video Search](http://video.search.yahoo.com/)  <http://video.search.yahoo.com> | Search by keyword or phrase, use advanced search to limit by file format, size, duration and domain | | [Truveo](http://www.truveo.com/)  <http://www.truveo.com> | Video-only search engine, advanced search limits by title, description, actor, director, genre, duration, quality | | [Internet Archive: Moving Image Archive](http://www.archive.org/details/movies)  <http://www.archive.org/details/movies> | Search public domain films, newsreels, ads, documentaries, television series and other “cultural artifacts” | |
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| **radio** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [PublicRadioFan](http://www.publicradiofan.com/)  <http://www.publicradiofan.com> | Find public radio programs and podcasts worldwide | |
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| **music** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Google](http://www.google.com/)  <http://www.google.com/> | To find song lyrics, search (in quotes) title or performer (plus) "song lyrics," to find information about the song's history search title (in quotes) and "origin" | |
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| **sounds** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [FindSounds](http://www.findsounds.com/types.html)  <http://www.findsounds.com/types.html> | Get sound effects and music samples: select a keyword or search a term limited by file format, quality and size | | [Soundsnap](http://www.soundsnap.com/)  <http://www.soundsnap.com> | Free, user-contributed sounds can be browsed or searched by category, keyword or tag | |
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| **speeches** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [American Rhetoric](http://www.americanrhetoric.com/)  <http://www.americanrhetoric.com/> | Search site or browse categories of full-text, audio and video of American public speeches, lectures, debates, interviews, events | | [History and Politics Out Loud](http://www.hpol.org/)  <http://www.hpol.org/> | Search or browse full-text public-domain audio with transcripts of 20th century political and historical events, personalities, and protest songs | | [American Memory](http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/browse/)  <http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/browse/> | Find sound recordings of American primary source speeches | |
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| **quotations** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Bartleby.com Quotations](http://www.bartleby.com/quotations/)  <http://www.bartleby.com/quotations/> | Search classic passages, phrases and proverbs (1901 edn.) | | [Quotations Page](http://www.quotationspage.com/search.php3)  <http://www.quotationspage.com/search.php3> | Search word, phrase, author within or across quotation collections | | [Quoteland](http://www.quoteland.com/)  <http://www.quoteland.com/> | Search by keyword or browse topics, authors | |
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| **statistical data** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Statistical Information (NoodleTools)](http://www.noodletools.com/debbie/resources/math/stats.html)  <http://www.noodletools.com/debbie/resources/math/stats.html> | Links to statistical databases and advice on locating and understanding data | |
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| **dictionary or thesaurus** (for definitions, etymology, pronunciation, synonyms) | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Yahoo Reference](http://education.yahoo.com/reference/)  <http://education.yahoo.com/reference> | Definitions, etymology, synonyms (English and Spanish) and audio-pronunciation | | [Merriam-Webster Dictionary and Thesaurus](http://www.m-w.com/)  <http://www.m-w.com/> | Definitions, etymology, synonyms and audio-pronunciation | | [WordCentral](http://www.wordcentral.com/)  <http://www.wordcentral.com/> | Definitions with pictures (student dictionary) | |
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| **encyclopedia** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Columbia Encyclopedia](http://www.bartleby.com/65/)  <http://www.bartleby.com/65/> | Factual information | | [Wikipedia](http://www.wikipedia.org/)  <http://www.wikipedia.org/> | Volunteer-created and collaboratively edited: valuable for current topics (e.g., people in the news), technology (e.g., podcasting) -- information quality uneven | |
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| **almanac data** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [Country at a Glance (U.N.)](http://cyberschoolbus.un.org/infonation/index.asp)  <http://cyberschoolbus.un.org/infonation/index.asp> | Basic country profile, use [InfoNation](http://cyberschoolbus.un.org/infonation3/menu/advanced.asp) to compare data from 6 countries | | [Information Please Almanac](http://www.infoplease.com/almanacs.html)  <http://www.infoplease.com/almanacs.html> | Statistical and factual data -- beware popup minefield | |
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| **books and other printed works** | |  |  | | --- | --- | | [WorldCat](http://worldcat.org/)  <http://worldcat.org/> | Search for books and reviews, options to refine results, check your local library's holdings | | [Google Scholar](http://scholar.google.com/)  <http://scholar.google.com/> | Search (free and fee) scholarly works, locate related information using "cited by" links, use advanced search to limit (author, date, phrase, in title, subject area) | | [A9](http://a9.com/)  <http://a9.com/-/company/productsearch.jsp> | Find a specific book, even if all you can remember is a character name, a sentence, or an obscure phrase. A9.com powers the search behind Amazon's ground-breaking Search Inside The Book service.. | |
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